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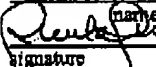
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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION IN CONJUNCTION WITH AN RCE

Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendments and remarks contained herein in response to the Office Action mailed July 28, 2005 in conjunction with the filing of an RCE. Applicants respectfully submit that the amendments and remarks contained herein place the application in condition for allowance.

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